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In re Application of:)
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For: COSMETIC COMPOSITIONS COMPRISING AT LEAST ONE CROSSLINKED COPOLYMER, AT LEAST ONE INSOLUBLE MINERAL PARTICLE AND AT LEAST ONE POLYMER, AND USES THEREOF))

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97(b), Applicant brings to the attention of the Examiner the listed documents on the attached PTO SB/08 Form. This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits for the above-referenced application.

Copies of the listed foreign and non-patent literature documents are attached.

Copies of the U.S. patent publications are not enclosed.

Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the listed documents and indicate that they were considered by making appropriate notations on the attached form.

The following is a concise statement of relevance of the non-English language documents.

- 1. <u>DE 101 63 500 A1</u> This document is believed to be related to U.S. Patent Application Publication Nos. 2003/0118538 and 2005/0158267, listed on the attached Form PTO/SB/08.
- 2. <u>DE 199 46 784 A1</u> An abstract of this document can be found in the English language Derwent abstract submitted herewith, listed on the attached Form PTO/SB/08.
- 3. **EP 0 080 976 A1** An abstract of this document can be found in the English language Derwent abstract submitted herewith, listed on the attached Form PTO/SB/08.
- 4. **EP 1 210 932 A2** An abstract of this document can be found in the English language Derwent abstract submitted herewith, listed on the attached Form PTO/SB/08.
- 5. **FR 1 492 597** This document is believed to be related to U.S. Patent No. 3,472,840, listed on the attached Form PTO/SB/08.
- 6. **FR 1 583 363** This document is believed to be related to U.S. Patent No. 3,632,559, listed on the attached Form PTO/SB/08.
- 7. **FR 2 077 143** This document is believed to be related to U.S. Patent No. 3,910,862, listed on the attached Form PTO/SB/08.
- 8. **FR 2 080 759** This document is believed to be related to U.S. Patent Nos. 3,912,808; 3,986,825; and 4,027,008, listed on the attached Form PTO/SB/08.

- 9. FR 2 162 025 This document is believed to be related to U.S. Patent Nos. 3,917,817; and 4,013,787, listed on the attached Form PTO/SB/08.
- 10. FR 2 190 406 This document is believed to be related to U.S. Patent Nos. 3,912,808; 3,986,825; and 4,027,008, listed on the attached Form PTO/SB/08.
- 11. **FR 2 252 840** This document is believed to be related to U.S. Patent Nos. 4,172,887; 4,189,468; and 4,277,581, listed on the attached Form PTO/SB/08.
- 12. **FR 2 270 846** This document is believed to be related to U.S. Patent Nos. 4,217,914; 4,348,202; 4,422,853; 4,579,732; 4,777,040; 4,948,579; 4,970,066; and 5,196,189, listed on the attached Form PTO/SB/08.
- 13. FR 2 280 361 This document is believed to be related to U.S. Patent Nos. 3,917,817; and 4,013,787, listed on the attached Form PTO/SB/08.
- 14. FR 2 316 271 This document is believed to be related to U.S. Patent Nos. 4,197,865; 4,381,919; and 4,608,250, listed on the attached Form PTO/SB/08.
- 15. FR 2 320 330 This document is believed to be related to U.S. Patent Nos. 4,075,136; and 4,166,894, listed on the attached Form PTO/SB/08.
- 16. **FR 2 336 434** This document is believed to be related to British Patent No. 1,546,809, listed on the attached Form PTO/SB/08.
- 17. **FR 2 368 508** This document is believed to be related to U.S. Patent Nos. 4,172,887; 4,189,468; and 4,277,581, listed on the attached Form PTO/SB/08.
- 18. **FR 2 383 660** This document is believed to be related to U.S. Patent Nos. 4,240,450; 4,445,521; 4,719,099; 4,803,221; and 5,009,880, listed on the attached Form PTO/SB/08.

- Nos. 4,165,367; and 4,223,009, listed on the attached Form PTO/SB/08.
- 20. **FR 2 413 907** This document is believed to be related to U.S. Patent No. 4,349,532, listed on the attached Form PTO/SB/08.
- 21. FR 2 470 596 This document is believed to be related to U.S. Patent Nos. 4,996,059; and 5,958,392, listed on the attached Form PTO/SB/08.
- 22. **FR 2 505 348** This document is believed to be related to U.S. Patent No. 4,761,273, listed on the attached Form PTO/SB/08.
- 23. FR 2 519 863 This document is believed to be related to U.S. Patent Nos. 5,089,252; and 5,139,037, listed on the attached Form PTO/SB/08.
- 24. **FR 2 542 997** This document is believed to be related to U.S. Patent No. 4,591,610, listed on the attached Form PTO/SB/08.
- 25. **FR 2 589 476** An abstract of this document can be found in the English language Derwent abstract submitted herewith, listed on the attached Form PTO/SB/08.
- 26. **FR 2 598 611** This document is believed to be related to U.S. Patent No. 4,839,166, listed on the attached Form PTO/SB/08.

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